

## 2018 Current Fiscal Year Report: National Advisory Council on Aging

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### 1. Department or Agency

Department of Health and Human Services

### 2. Fiscal Year

2018

### 3. Committee or Subcommittee

National Advisory Council on Aging

### 3b. GSA Committee No.

945

### 4. Is this New During Fiscal Year?

No

### 5. Current Charter

11/30/2017

### 6. Expected Renewal Date

11/30/2019

### 7. Expected Term Date

### 8a. Was Terminated During Fiscal Year?

No

### 8b. Specific Termination Authority

### 8c. Actual Term Date

### 9. Agency Recommendation for Next Fiscal Year

Continue

### 10a. Legislation Req to Terminate?

Not Applicable

### 10b. Legislation Pending?

Not Applicable

### 11. Establishment Authority Statutory (Congress Created)

### 12. Specific Establishment Authority

42 U.S.C. 284a

### 13. Effective Date

11/20/1985

### 14. Committee Type

Continuing

### 14c. Presidential?

No

### 15. Description of Committee Other Committee

### 16a. Total Number of Reports

No Reports for this Fiscal Year

### 17a. Open 0 17b. Closed 1 17c. Partially Closed 2 Other Activities 0 17d. Total 3 Meetings and Dates

Purpose	Start	End
Program Advisory/Second Level of Peer Review	01/19/2018	- 01/19/2018
Program Advisory/Second Level of Peer Review	05/22/2018	- 05/23/2018
Program Advisory/Second Level of Peer Review	09/13/2018	- 09/14/2018

### Number of Committee Meetings Listed: 3

	Current FY	Next FY
18a(1). Personnel Pmts to Non-Federal Members	\$12,000.00	\$12,000.00
18a(2). Personnel Pmts to Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18a(3). Personnel Pmts to Federal Staff	\$117,752.00	\$119,989.00
18a(4). Personnel Pmts to Non-Member Consultants	\$2,400.00	\$2,400.00
18b(1). Travel and Per Diem to Non-Federal Members	\$22,341.00	\$22,583.00
18b(2). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(3). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Staff	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(4). Travel and Per Diem to Non-member Consultants	\$3,882.00	\$3,918.00
18c. Other(rents,user charges, graphics, printing, mail, etc.)	\$24,000.00	\$24,480.00
18d. Total	\$182,375.00	\$185,370.00

**20a. How does the Committee accomplish its purpose?**

Section 492 of the PHS Act states that The Secretary ... shall by regulation require appropriate technical and scientific peer review of -- (A) applications...; and (B)...biomedical and behavioral research and development contracts... This Council is composed of both scientific and public members who provide the second level of peer review; advise on policy development, program implementation and evaluation; and identify research needs and opportunities of the Institute. The Council reviewed the Behavioral and Social Research Program; the Biology of Aging Program; the Neuroscience and Neuropsychology of Aging Program; the Geriatrics and Clinical Gerontology Program; and the NIA Intramural Research Program. Council also agreed to undertake a review of minority aging research within the NIA, with a focus on science and training. The Council reviewed 8,676 applications requesting \$12,325,434,768.

**20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?**

The National Advisory Council on Aging is composed of 18 appointed members with research interests and responsibilities paralleling those of the National Institute on Aging. Twelve of the members are leaders in the health and scientific disciplines, in the areas of biological, medical, behavioral and social sciences relating to aging and public health. Six members from the general public include leaders in the fields of public policy, law, health policy, economics and management.

**20c. How frequent and relevant are the Committee Meetings?**

Meetings are held not less than three times each fiscal year. The National Advisory Council on Aging provides advice on a continuing basis on the type of scientific research programs that should be supported and on how to carry out the designated mission and responsibilities of the Institute. It also provides ongoing review of the relevance and effectiveness of the existing programs.

**20d. Why can't the advice or information this committee provides be obtained elsewhere?**

The National Advisory Council on Aging is composed of both scientific and public members who provide the second level of review for research grant applications; advise on policy development, program implementation and evaluation; and identify research needs and opportunities of the Institute. The quality, scope, and balance of advice from this Council cannot be obtained from NIH staff or from other established sources because the membership of the Council is constituted to meet the specific requirements of the mandated mission of the Council and the Institute.

## 20e. Why is it necessary to close and/or partially closed committee meetings?

The meetings of the National Advisory Council on Aging were closed to the public for the review of grant applications. Section 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act permit closing of meetings where discussion could reveal confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material and personal information, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

## 21. Remarks

Committee Function: Other - National Scientific and Advisory. DFO/Committee Decision Maker: The committee designated federal official and the committee decision maker are held by the same person based on the assignment of duties at this Institute. Reports: This committee did not produce any reports this fiscal year. Administrative extensions: Members Cummings, Mayeux, Mouton, Rando, and Whitman were administratively extended while new members and nominees were delayed in completing the nomination process.

## Designated Federal Officer

### ROBIN BARR DIRECTOR, DIVISION OF EXTRAMURAL ACTIVITIES

Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
ALLMAN, RICHARD	04/07/2014	06/30/2018	CHIEF CONSULTANT	Ex Officio Member
APPLEBY, JAMES	09/04/2018	12/31/2021	EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND CEO	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
AZAR, ALEX	01/29/2018	01/20/2021	SECRETARY	Ex Officio Member
BENNETT, DAVID	09/17/2017	12/31/2020	DIRECTOR	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
CARRILLO, MARIA	05/31/2015	12/31/2018	CHIEF SCIENCE OFFICER, MEDICAL & SCIENTIFIC RELATIONS	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
COLLINS, FRANCIS	08/17/2009	01/20/2021	DIRECTOR	Ex Officio Member
COMER, MERYL	09/04/2018	12/31/2021	PRESIDENT AND CEO	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
CRIMMINS, EILEEN	05/01/2016	12/31/2019	AARP PROFESSOR OF GERONTOLOGY	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
CUMMINGS, STEVEN	08/10/2014	05/31/2018	FOUNDING DIRECTOR	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
GOODELL, MARGARET	09/04/2018	12/31/2021	PROFESSOR AND DIRECTOR	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
HARDEN, J. TAYLOR	09/17/2017	12/31/2020	EMERITUS DIRECTOR	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
HARGAN, ERIC	10/10/2017	01/29/2018	ACTING HHS SECRETARY	Ex Officio Member
HODES, RICHARD	01/01/2017	12/31/2018	DIRECTOR, NIA	Ex Officio Member
HOLTZMAN, DAVID	09/17/2017	12/31/2020	PROFESSOR AND CHAIRMAN	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
IYENGAR, VIJETH	01/09/2017	12/31/2029	PRESIDENTIAL MANAGEMENT FELLOW (STEM)	Ex Officio Member
KINGTON, RAYNARD	03/07/2016	04/11/2018	PRESIDENT AND PROFESSOR	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member

KIRKLAND, JAMES	05/31/2015	12/31/2018	PROFESSOR	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
KRITCHEVSKY, STEPHEN	09/17/2017	12/31/2020	PROFESSOR	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
MAYEUX, RICHARD	08/10/2014	05/31/2018	PROFESSOR	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
MOFFITT, TERRIE	05/01/2016	12/31/2019	NANNERL O. KEOHANE UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
MOUTON, CHARLES	08/10/2014	05/31/2018	SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT & DEAN	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
NEWMAN, ANNE	04/19/2015	12/31/2018	PROFESSOR	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
PESCHIN, SUSAN	09/17/2017	12/31/2020	PRESIDENT AND CEO	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
PUGH, KENNETH	05/19/2004	08/31/2018	LCDR, MC	Ex Officio Member
RANDO, THOMAS	08/10/2014	05/31/2018	PROFESSOR	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
REIMAN, ERIC	09/04/2018	12/31/2021	EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
ROSEN, CLIFFORD	09/04/2018	12/31/2021	DIRECTOR OF CLINICAL AND TRANSLATIONAL RESEARCH	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
SPERLING, REISA	08/10/2014	05/31/2018	PROFESSOR OF NEUROLOGY	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
TILLY, JANE	04/29/2015	12/31/2029	AGING PROGRAM SERVICES SPECIALIST	Ex Officio Member
WAGERS, AMY	09/04/2018	12/31/2021	PROFESSOR	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
WALKER, EDWIN	09/15/2014	12/31/2025	DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR AGING	Ex Officio Member
WHITMAN, DEBRA	08/10/2014	05/31/2018	EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT, POLICY, STRATEGY, AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
WRIGHT, DON	09/29/2017	10/10/2017	Acting Secretary, HHS	Ex Officio Member

**Number of Committee Members Listed: 33**

## Narrative Description

The goal of NIH research is to acquire new knowledge to help prevent, detect, diagnose and treat disease and disability, from the rarest genetic disorder to the common cold. The NIH mission is to uncover new knowledge that will lead to better health for everyone. NIH works toward that mission by: conducting research in its own laboratories; supporting the research of non-Federal scientists in universities, medical schools, hospitals, and research institutions throughout the country and abroad; helping in the training of research investigators; and fostering communication of medical and health sciences information. Section 492 of the PHS Act states that The Secretary...shall by regulation require appropriate technical and scientific peer review of - (A) applications...; and (B) biomedical and behavioral research and development contracts... The National Advisory Council on Aging provides second level peer review, makes recommendations for support of grants, contracts proposals, and cooperative agreements; advises on policy development program, implementation and evaluation; and identifies research needs of the National

Institute on Aging.

**What are the most significant program outcomes associated with this committee?**

Checked if Applies

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|---|-------------------------------------|
| Improvements to health or safety                  | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Trust in government                               | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Major policy changes                              | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Advance in scientific research                    | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Effective grant making                            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Improved service delivery                         | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Increased customer satisfaction                   | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Implementation of laws or regulatory requirements | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Other   | <input type="checkbox"/>            |

**Outcome Comments**

N/A

**What are the cost savings associated with this committee?**

Checked if Applies

- |                            |                                     |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| None                       | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Unable to Determine        | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Under \$100,000            | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| \$100,000 - \$500,000      | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| \$500,001 - \$1,000,000    | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| \$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000  | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| \$5,000,001 - \$10,000,000 | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Over \$10,000,000          | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Cost Savings Other         | <input type="checkbox"/>            |

**Cost Savings Comments**

NIH supported basic and clinical research accomplishments often take many years to unfold into new diagnostic tests and new ways to treat and prevent diseases.

**What is the approximate Number of recommendations produced by this committee for the life of the committee?**

116,856

**Number of Recommendations Comments**

The number of recommendations includes the second level review of grant applications.

**What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Fully implemented by the agency?**

0%

**% of Recommendations Fully Implemented Comments**

Information on the research funded by NIH is available through the RePORT (Research Portfolio Online Reporting Tool) website. RePORT provides access to reports, data, and analyses of NIH research activities that advance the mission of the NIH, including information on NIH expenditures, strategic plans, reports on NIH funding, and reports on the organization and people involved in NIH research and research training. The RePORT website is located at <http://report.nih.gov>.

**What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Partially implemented by the agency?**

0%

**% of Recommendations Partially Implemented Comments**

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**Does the agency provide the committee with feedback regarding actions taken to implement recommendations or advice offered?**

Yes ☒ No ☐ Not Applicable ☐

**Agency Feedback Comments**

The NIA Director reports to the NIA Advisory Council at every meeting with feedback on committee recommendations and advice.

**What other actions has the agency taken as a result of the committee's advice or recommendation?**

Checked if Applies

Reorganized Priorities

☐

Reallocated resources

☐

Issued new regulation

☐

Proposed legislation

☐

Approved grants or other payments

☒

Other

☐

### Action Comments

An action of approved or recommended for grants receiving review by this council does not infer that the grant will be or has been funded. Research grant applications submitted to NIH must go through a two-step review process that includes initial peer review for scientific and technical merit and a second step of review for a number of other considerations. These include alignment with NIH's funding principles, review of the project budget, assessment of the applicant's management systems, determination of applicant eligibility, and compliance with public policy requirements. After all of these steps have been completed, NIH officials make funding decisions on individual grant applications.

### Is the Committee engaged in the review of applications for grants?

Yes

What is the estimated Number of grants reviewed for approval 8,676

What is the estimated Number of grants recommended for approval 8,676

What is the estimated Dollar Value of grants recommended for approval -\$559,467,120

### Grant Review Comments

NA

### How is access provided to the information for the Committee's documentation?

Checked if Applies

Contact DFO

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Online Agency Web Site

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Online Committee Web Site

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Online GSA FACA Web Site

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Publications

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Other

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### Access Comments

N/A